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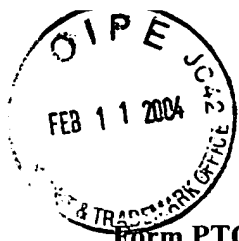
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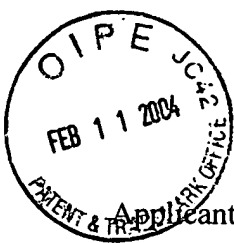
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith for the patent application identified above entitled AMIDES THAT INHIBIT VANILLOID RECEPTOR SUBTYPE 1 (VR1) RECEPTOR are the following:

1. Information Disclosure Statement;
2. Form PTO 1449, in duplicate;
3. References as cited on PTO 1449 (11 references); and
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